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I went down this morning to see Senator Green in connection with an amendment on independence for colonial peoples that it is said he is thinking of attaching to the Mutual Security legislation. We had a long talk on this general subject, but I do not know what his final conclusions will be.

Wallace Duell, of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, came to the office to verify certain questions of fact in connection with a profile of me ~~which~~ he is writing for his paper.

I went to see Allen Dulles in the afternoon and took up with him:

- (1) The questionnaire submitted by General Merrill to Chiang Kai-shek.
- (2) General Smith's recommendations about the chairmanship and the new Director of PSB.
- (3) The question of the British delegation shortly to come over here, and certain other matters.

Before Allen and I talked, I had a conversation with Eric Johnston about ~~the~~ Point IV affairs.

Tonight, we went to dinner alone with Patsy and Jim Webb, and I talked over a lot of office matters with Jim.

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